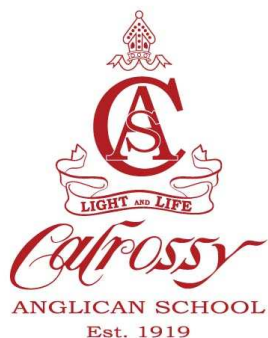


# CALROSSY ANGLICAN SCHOOL

## Primary Newsletter



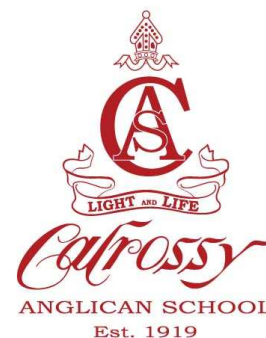
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### FROM THE HEAD OF PRIMARY

Welcome back to Term 4. I trust everyone had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday in preparation for the busyness that this term usually brings.

#### ICAS English Competition

Congratulations to the following students for their wonderful achievements in the ICAS English competition:

**High Distinctions:** Jonno Chamberlain.

**Distinctions:** Phoebe Barnes, Thomas Burke, Maya Cook, Isabelle Herring, Pia Logan, Marielle Prazak.

**Credits:** Sophie Barr, Tom Chaffey, Jacob Hayter, Jessica Kelly, Lachlan Oates, Emily Wiggan, Ripley Atkinson, Jack Awad, Samantha Bailey-Walganski, Lachlan Davidson, Thomas Harris, Emily Jarrett, Samuel Low, Charles Meyers, Claire O'Mara, Hannah Russell, Caitlyn Sherwood, Tyler Simshauser, Michaela Beavan, Jack Beckett, Phoebe Boydell, Jack Cruickshank, Kate Cruickshank, William Doran, Lachlan Dunn, Kate Farquhar, Jeremy Fay, Phoebe Mitchell, Hunter Ridley, Charlie Whatmore, Andrew Barr, Laura Farquhar, Ailis Jenkins, Keely McDermott, Jessica Sylvester, Jemma Temple.

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#### *Thought for the Week*

(Samuel's words to the Israelites (and us!)). "I am praying for you and teaching you the way that is good and right. Be sure to fear the Lord and serve Him faithfully with all your heart; consider what great things He has done for you."

*1 Samuel 12:23 and 24*

## **PSSA Athletics**

Next week a group of students will travel to Sydney to take part in the PSSA Athletics Carnival as part of the Combined Independent Schools' team, we wish all competitors the best in their individual and team events. Many thanks to the parents who have provided additional coaching and support.

## **Newcastle Permanent Mathematics Competition**

Congratulations to Ryan Lim who has won the Tamworth District Award in the Year 6 division of the 2009 Newcastle permanent Primary Mathematics Competition. Ryan placed 34<sup>th</sup> in the competition. Ryan will be presented with his award at a ceremony in Newcastle on 11 November.

## **HRIS Tennis**

This Friday we have 8 children travelling to Newcastle to take part in the HRIS Tennis day. Again we wish all competitors the very best of luck in their respective age divisions.

## **Horsesports**

Congratulations must also go to Serena Osborne, Hannah Kelley and Jessica Sylvester who competed at the National Championships in Melbourne during the last week of last term. All girls performed extremely well in their respective events.

## **P and F Meeting**

The next meeting of the Primary P and F will be held on Tuesday 27 October. This meeting will include the Annual General Meeting and will be held in Pod 2 commencing at 7:30pm. I encourage your attendance at this meeting.

## **10 Tips to Help Your Child with Maths**

1. **Connect math to daily life.** Let your kids know the importance of math in day to day living. Talk about ways you use math in your job and around the house. Show them how you pay the bills. Ask them how they used math during the day.
2. **Practice mental math using coins.** For example, show that a certain item costs a certain amount and ask what coins are needed to pay for it.
3. **Play games together.** Show them math can be fun and exciting. Play family games to add excitement to math activities, like chess or games in the car such as math bingo or adding licence plate numbers. Lots of board games need math or play card games.
4. **Cooking can be counting fun.** Get older children to help out at dinner time and let them help measure ingredients for dishes or estimate the number of potatoes that are needed for everyone.
5. **Play the estimating game.** Ask your kids to estimate distances, measurements, time and grocery bills. Be sure to compare the estimate with the actual. Or get them to guess the mass of the apples you want to buy and then take them to the scale and find out.
6. **Perform time calculations.** For example, make up a sentence and ask your child to recite it as many times as possible in 15 seconds. Then ask how many times it could be said in 1 minute, 5 minutes, 10 minutes etc.

7. **Use common toys to understand math concepts.** Build a tower from blocks. Count the blocks. Then talk about the need for a base of the right size and the stability it creates.
8. **Sports and math.** There is a lot of math used in sport: averages, times, scores etc.
9. **Computers + math = fun.** There are great computer games available for math. There are also super websites that have fun math games.
10. **Measuring made easy.** Estimate and measure the area of different shapes. For example, use small square objects to estimate then measure how many are needed to fill the area of various flat surfaces.

**Weekly Inspiration:** “Success in Training”

Success is the good fortune that comes from aspiration, desperation, perspiration and inspiration. Six essential qualities that are the key to success: sincerity, personal integrity, humility, courtesy, wisdom, charity.

William Menninger

**Robert Black**

**DIARY DATES**

30 October	Jaffa Camp – Year 3 to Year 6
14 November	Jaffa Camp – Kindergarten to Year 2
20 November	Round 1 House Theatre Sports (whole week)
20 November	Round 2 House Theatre Sports (whole week)
4 December	Final House Theatre Sports

**ASSEMBLIES**

Assemblies are held on Friday mornings. Primary assembly will commence at 9:00am and Infants at 9:30am. All parents are invited to attend assemblies.

***We congratulate the following students who received awards in assemblies in the last week of Term 3:***

Kindergarten White:	Lachlan Spry, Aaliyah Condon, Madalyn Rennie.
Kindergarten Green:	Imogen Sharpe, Lachlan Bullock, Logan Lynch.
Kinder/Year 1 Gold:	Rhane Coleman, Archie Cruickshank.
Year 1/2 White:	William Nicholson, David Brice, Nicholas Wiggan, Sebastian Rollings.
Year 2 Green:	Kiara Hawkins, Lucinda Davis, Oscar Mitchell.
Year 3 Green:	Tom Fallens, Erin Startin.
Year 3/4 White:	Hugh Wolfgang, Sterling George, Samantha Bailey-Walganski.
Year 4 Green:	Lucy Tremain, Samantha Brice, Madi Button, Solomon Noon.
Year 4/5 Gold:	Michaela Beavan, Lachlan Davidson, Samuel Low.
Year 5 Green:	Hannah Heeney, Lane Hawkins, Millie Thompson.
Year 5/6 White:	Andrew Barr, Emily Nicholls.
Year 6 Green:	Courtney Stevens, Ellie Tidswell, Jordan Nelson.

**Work of the Week:** David Brice, Millie Skillen.

## SPORT

### Active After School Sports

Active After School Sports recommenced on Monday 19 October and will run on Monday and Wednesday afternoons for seven weeks.

### Horse Sports

Congratulations to Sophie Maynes who competed at The Pony Club Association of NSW 51<sup>st</sup> Jamboree at Quirindi. Sophie won the 7 & Under 9 Years highest point score on her horse 'Lady Luck'. Well done Sophie.



Pictured above is Hannah Kelley at the recent National Championships in Melbourne

## SCHOOL NEWS

### Newsletter

We still have quite a few families who have not advised their email address. If you have not already completed an Email Request Form, please contact the office so that your email address can be added to our database.

### 'Rose Cottage' Warehouse

**Hours** 9.00 am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday

**Daily Deliveries** Please contact us before 9.30 am daily for deliveries to the school

**Email** [rosecottage@calrossy.nsw.edu.au](mailto:rosecottage@calrossy.nsw.edu.au)

**Telephone** 6767 2631

**Fax** 6766 4043

**Call into** 9 Raglan Street, Tamworth

### Dispensary

All pink Health Update/Excursion Health Forms are required by the office as soon as possible. Your child will not be able to attend school excursions if we do not hold this form.

### Equestrian

If your child is involved in or would like to be involved in Equestrian events, please notify the office of your email address so all information on upcoming events can be forwarded on to you.

### Scholastic Book Club

An order was received from the 'Sale Issue' last term but it had no name on it. We have ordered the Deltora item, can you please let me know who ordered it so it can be delivered to your child.

*Jenny Scott  
Teacher Librarian*

### Parents of Catholic Children

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is being offered this term by St Nicholas' Parish. Lessons to prepare for this Sacrament will begin on Sunday 25 October at 10:30am in the Meeting Room at the rear of St Nicholas' Church. If your child wishes to attend and you have not received a letter, please contact me, Karen Campbell by Friday 23 October by telephoning the school office.



## Pizza Lunch Order



\$2.50 per slice

Choose from Hawaiian, Meat Lovers, Cheese or Chicken & Bacon  
Please indicate flavour of pizza and dates required

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

- Hawaiian
- Meat
- Cheese
- BBQ Chicken & Bacon
- 23 October
- 6 November
- 20 November
- 4 December

- 30 October
- 13 November
- 27 November

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Total Payment Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make all cheques payable to Calrossy Anglican School  
All orders must be received by 4:00pm on Wednesday afternoons

## **Parent Action**

### **Kindergarten and Prep 2010**

**ACTION**                      **Application forms due in now to ensure a place in Prep and Kindergarten, 2010**

### **Newsletter By Email**

**ACTION**                      **Please contact the office with your email address to enable the newsletter to be emailed to you**

### **Horse Sport Families**

**ACTION**                      **Please notify the office of your email address so you are kept up to date with upcoming events**

### **P & F Meeting**

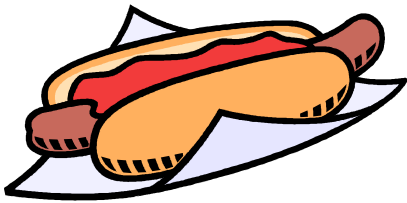
**ACTION**                      **Tuesday 27 October  
All parents are warmly invited and encouraged to attend**

### **Pizza Order**

**ACTION**                      **Orders with money due by Wednesday 4:00pm**

### **Hot Dog Order**

**ACTION**                      **Hot Dogs will recommence next Tuesday 27 October  
Orders with money due by this Friday, 23 October**



**Take it easy on Tuesday”  
Lunch Order form 27 October**

Name .....Class .....

Hot Dog \$2.00  Quantity

Popper \$1.00  Quantity

**Form and correct money to be returned by Friday 23 October**

Name .....Class .....

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